

641—112.3(135) Biosecurity council established. The director shall appoint a biosecurity council to advise the department on biosecurity issues and to recommend guidelines to protect the citizens of Iowa from exposure to select biological agents.

112.3(1) The council shall, at a minimum, consist of the following members:

- a.* The director of the department of public health;
- b.* The governor's homeland security advisor;
- c.* The director of the University of Iowa Hygienic Laboratory;
- d.* A representative from the FBI as made available by the director of the FBI or a representative of the U.S. Secret Service as made available by the director of the U.S. Secret Service;
- e.* A representative appointed by the Iowa adjutant general;
- f.* A representative from the Iowa attorney general's office;
- g.* The medical director of the department of public health;
- h.* The executive director of the office of disease epidemiology and disaster preparedness, department of public health;
- i.* A microbiologist at the master's or doctorate level who has expertise in human microbiology;
- j.* A microbiologist at the master's or doctorate level who has expertise in zoonosis;
- k.* A biological safety professional; and
- l.* The emergency management division administrator.

112.3(2) The council shall make recommendations to the department on classification of select biological agents, select biological agent risk assessment guidelines, and security guidelines.

112.3(3) Security guidelines shall be consistent with applicable state and federal laws, including but not limited to specific antiterrorism regulations of HHS and DOJ.